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Applicant: Akio INOUE et al. Conf.: 8894
Appl. No.: 09/983,067 Group: 1614
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For: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING PEPTIDES BY USING
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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated September 10, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 16 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 23 of this paper.